



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

ECONOMY—ECONOMY IN EXPENDITURE—PURCHASE OF NEW MOBILE PHONE  
HANDSETS AT GOVERNMENT COST—RESTRICTED—ORDERS ISSUED

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FINANCE (SS) DEPARTMENT

G. O. (P) No. 90/2011/Fin.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 1st March, 2011.

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*Read:*—G. O. (Ms.) No. 96/2003/GAD. dated 5-4-2003.

ORDER

1. As per the Order read above, mobile phone facility was sanctioned to the Additional Chief Secretaries, Principal Secretaries, Secretaries, Special Secretaries and Heads of Departments with permission to purchase handsets limiting the cost to Rs. 7000.

2. Government having reviewed the need to provide mobile handsets to those officers who are eligible for reimbursement of mobile telephone call charges, have decided handsets, will not be purchased and supplied at Government cost. Only call charge will be reimbursed by Government according to the rates and ceiling fixed by Government from time to time.

3. Since requests for providing handsets are being received very often, the Government, in reiteration of its stand, order that as a matter of policy officers eligible for reimbursement of mobile phone call charges from Government will not be provided with handsets at Government cost.

4. These instructions will be applicable also to Government owned Companies/Co-operatives/Corporations/Boards/Universities/Autonomous bodies/Public Sector Undertakings etc., receiving financial assistance from Government.

By order of the Governor,

M. GIREES KUMAR,

*Officer on Special Duty (Finance-Resources).*

To

The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Accountant General (Accounts and Entitlements), Kerala,  
Thiruvananthapuram.

All Heads of Departments and Offices.

All Departments (All Sections) of the Secretariat including Law Department.

The Director of Treasuries, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Secretary, Kerala Public Service Commission, Thiruvananthapuram  
(with C. L.).

The Secretary, Kerala State Electricity Board, Thiruvananthapuram (with C. L.).

The Managing Director, K.S.R.T.C., Thiruvananthapuram (with C. L.).

The Registrar, High Court of Kerala, Ernakulam (with C. L.).

The Registrar, University of Kerala/Cochin/Calicut/Mahatma Gandhi/  
Kannur/Kerala Agricultural University/Sree Sankaracharya Sanskrit  
University (with C. L.).

The Advocate General, Kerala, Ernakulam (with C. L.).

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The Secretary to Governor.

The Private Secretaries to Chief Minister and other Ministers, Government  
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The Private Secretary to Speaker/Deputy Speaker.

The Director of Public Relations, Thiruvananthapuram.

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